

Fill in this information to identify your case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

Case number (if known): _____ Chapter you are filing under:

- ☐ Chapter 7
☐ Chapter 11
☐ Chapter 12
☒ Chapter 13

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 101

Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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The bankruptcy forms use you and Debtor 1 to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together--called a joint case--and in joint cases, these forms use you to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if

a form asks, "Do you own a car," the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as Debtor 1 and the other as Debtor 2. The same person must be Debtor 1 in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for

Part 1: Identify Yourself

About Debtor 1:

About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

1. Your full name

Write the name that is on your government-issued picture identification (for example, your driver's license or passport).

Bring your picture

Ekeshia

First Name

L.

Middle Name

Pickens

Last Name

Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)

2. All other names you have used in the last 8 years

Include your married or maiden names.

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

3. Only the last 4 digits of your Social Security number or federal Individual Taxpayer Identification number (ITIN)

xxx - xx - 5 3 5 4

OR

9xx - xx - _____

xxx - xx - _____

OR

9xx - xx - _____

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4. Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years

Include trade names and doing business as

About Debtor 1:

☒ I have not used any business names or EINs.

Business name

Business name

Business name

EIN - - - - -

EIN - - - - -

About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

☐ I have not used any business names or EINs.

Business name

Business name

Business name

EIN - - - - -

EIN - - - - -

5. Where you live

744 S. Shannon Dr.

Number Street

Number Street

Romeoville IL 60446

City State ZIP Code

City State ZIP Code

Will

County

County

If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.

Number Street

P.O. Box

City State ZIP Code

If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.

Number Street

P.O. Box

City State ZIP Code

6. Why you are choosing this district to file for bankruptcy

Check one:

☒ Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district

☐ I have another reason. Explain.
(See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)

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(See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)

Part 2: Tell the Court About Your Bankruptcy Case

7. The chapter of the Bankruptcy Code you are choosing to file under

Check one: (For a brief description of each, see Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box.

☐ Chapter 7

☐ Chapter 11

☐ Chapter 12

☒ Chapter 13

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8. How you will pay the fee

- ☒ **I will pay the entire fee when I file my petition.** Please check with the clerk's office in your local court for more details about how you may pay. Typically, if you are paying the fee yourself, you may pay with cash, cashier's check, or money order. If your attorney is submitting your
- ☐ **I need to pay the fee in installments.** If you choose this option, sign and attach the Application for Individuals to Pay Your Filing Fee in Installments (Official Form 103A).
- ☐ **I request that my fee be waived.** You may request this option only if you are filing for Chapter 7. By law, a judge may, but is not required to, waive your fee, and may do so only if your income is less than 150% of the official poverty line that applies to your family size and you are unable to pay the

9. Have you filed for bankruptcy within the last 8 years?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes.

District **ND Illinois** When **12/13/1999** Case number **99-38187**
MM / DD / YYYY

District **ND Illinois** When **07/02/2004** Case number **04 B 24848**
MM / DD / YYYY

District _____ When _____ Case number _____
MM / DD / YYYY

10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a spouse who is not filing this case with you, or by a business partner, or by an affiliate?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes.

Debtor _____ Relationship to you _____

District _____ When _____ Case number, _____
MM / DD / YYYY if known

Debtor _____ Relationship to you _____

District _____ When _____ Case number, _____
MM / DD / YYYY if known

11. Do you rent your residence?

- ☒ No. Go to line 12.
- ☐ Yes. Has your landlord obtained an eviction judgment against you and do you want to stay in your
- ☐ No. Go to line 12.
- ☐ Yes. Fill out Initial Statement About an Eviction Judgment Against You (Form 101A)

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Part 3: Report About Any Businesses You Own as a Sole Proprietor

- 12. Are you a sole proprietor of any full- or part-time business?**

- ☒ No. Go to Part 4.
☐ Yes. Name and location of business

A sole proprietorship is a business you operate as an individual, and is not a separate legal entity such as a corporation, partnership, or LLC.

If you have more than one

Name of business, if any

Number Street

City

State

ZIP Code

Check the appropriate box to describe your business:

- ☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))
☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))
☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))
☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))
☐ None of the above

- 13. Are you filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and are you a small business debtor?**

For a definition of small business debtor, see 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).

If you are filing under Chapter 11, the court must know whether you are a small business debtor so that it can set appropriate deadlines. If you indicate that you are a small business debtor, you must attach your most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).

- ☒ No. I am not filing under Chapter 11.
☐ No. I am filing under Chapter 11, but I am NOT a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.
☐ Yes. I am filing under Chapter 11 and I am a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.

Part 4: Report If You Own or Have Any Hazardous Property or Any Property That Needs Immediate Attention

- 14. Do you own or have any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety? Or do you own any property that needs**

For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed, or a building that needs

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. What is the hazard?

If immediate attention is needed, why is it needed?

Where is the property?

Number Street

City

State

ZIP Code

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Part 5: Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling

15. Tell the court whether you have received briefing about credit counseling.

The law requires that you receive a briefing about credit counseling before you file for bankruptcy. You must truthfully check one of the following choices. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file.

If you file anyway, the court can dismiss your case, you will lose

About Debtor 1:

You must check one:

☒ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before

I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

☐ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before

I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and

☐ I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy.

If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency,

☐ I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:

☐ **Incapacity.** I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or

☐ **Disability.** My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after

☐ **Active duty.** I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver of credit counseling with the

About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

You must check one:

☐ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before

I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a

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Part 6: Answer These Questions for Reporting Purposes

- 16. What kind of debts do you have?**
- 16a. Are your debts primarily consumer debts?** *Consumer debts* are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."
- ☐ No. Go to line 16b.
☒ Yes. Go to line 17.
- 16b. Are your debts primarily business debts?** *Business debts* are debts that you incurred to obtain money for a business or investment or through the operation of the business or investment.
- ☐ No. Go to line 16c.
☐ Yes. Go to line 17.
- 16c. State the type of debts you owe that are not consumer or business debts.**
- _____
- 17. Are you filing under Chapter 7?**
- ☒ No. I am not filing under Chapter 7. Go to line 18.
☐ Yes. I am filing under Chapter 7. Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available to distribute to unsecured creditors?
- ☐ No
☐ Yes
- 18. How many creditors do you estimate that you owe?**
- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999 | | |
- 19. How much do you estimate your assets to be worth?**
- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |
- 20. How much do you estimate your liabilities to be?**
- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |

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Part 7: Sign Below

For you

I have examined this petition, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided is true and correct.

If I have chosen to file under Chapter 7, I am aware that I may proceed, if eligible, under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code. I understand the relief available under each chapter, and I choose to proceed under Chapter 7.

If no attorney represents me and I did not pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help me fill out this document, I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).

I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this

X /s/ Ekeshia L. Pickens _____

Ekeshia L. Pickens, Debtor 1

Executed on **06/14/2016**
MM / DD / YYYY

X _____

Signature of Debtor 2

Executed on _____
MM / DD / YYYY

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For your attorney, if you are represented by one

If you are not represented by an attorney, you do not need to file this page.

I, the attorney for the debtor(s) named in this petition, declare that I have informed the debtor(s) about eligibility to proceed under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each chapter for which the person is eligible. I also certify that I have delivered to

X /s/ Mark R. Schottler Date **06/14/2016**
Signature of Attorney for Debtor MM / DD / YYYY

Mark R. Schottler
Printed name

Schottler & Associates
Firm Name

7222 W. Cermak
Number Street
Suite 701

North Riverside **IL** **60546**
City State ZIP Code

Contact phone **(708) 442-5599** Email address _____

6238871
Bar number State

Fill in this information to identify your case and this filing:

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First Name Middle Name Last Name

Debtor 2
(Spouse, if filing) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

United States Bankruptcy Court for the **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

Case number _____
(if known)

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106A/B

Schedule A/B: Property

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In each category, separately list and describe items. List an asset only once. If an asset fits in more than one category, list the asset in the category where you think it fits best. Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every

Part 1: Describe Each Residence, Building, Land, or Other Real Estate You Own or Have an Interest In

1. Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any residence, building, land, or similar property?

- ☐ No. Go to Part 2.
☒ Yes. Where is the property?

1.1.

744 S. Shannon Dr.

Street address, if available, or other description

Romeoville **IL** **60446**
City State ZIP Code

Will
County

744 S. Shannon Dr, Romeoville, IL

What is the property?

Check all that apply.

- ☒ Single-family home
☐ Duplex or multi-unit building
☐ Condominium or cooperative
☐ Manufactured or mobile home
☐ Land
☐ Investment property
☐ Timeshare
☐ Other _____

Who has an interest in the property?

Check one.

- ☒ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

Other information you wish to add about this item, such as local property identification number: _____

Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put the amount of any secured claim in **Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property.**

Current value of the entire property?	Current value of the portion you own?
\$155,000.00	\$155,000.00

Describe the nature of your ownership interest (such as fee simple, tenancy by the entireties, or a life estate), if known.

Fee Simple

☐ Check if this is community property (see instructions)

2. Add the dollar value of the portion you own for all of your entries from Part 1, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 1. Write that number here.....

\$155,000.00

Part 2: Describe Your Vehicles

Do you own, lease, or have legal or equitable interest in any vehicles, whether they are registered or not? **Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases.**

3. Cars, vans, trucks, tractors, sport utility vehicles, motorcycles

- ☐ No
☒ Yes

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3.1. **Who has an interest in the property?** Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put the amount of any secured claims in **Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property.**

Make: Chevrolet Check one.
 Model: Cobalt ☒ Debtor 1 only
 Year: 2009 ☐ Debtor 2 only
 Approximate mileage: 240,000 ☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
 Other information: 2009 Chevrolet Cobalt (approx. 240000 miles) ☐ At least one of the debtors and another \$250.00 \$250.00
☐ Check if this is community property (see instructions)

4. **Watercraft, aircraft, motor homes, ATVs and other recreational vehicles, other vehicles, and accessories**
Examples: Boats, trailers, motors, personal watercraft, fishing vessels, snowmobiles, motorcycle accessories

☒ No
☐ Yes

5. Add the dollar value of the portion you own for all of your entries from Part 2, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 2. Write that number here..... → **\$250.00**

Part 3: Describe Your Personal and Household Items

Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any of the following items? **Current value of the portion you own?**
Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

6. **Household goods and furnishings**

Examples: Major appliances, furniture, linens, china, kitchenware

☐ No
☒ Yes. Describe Necessary and normal household goods

\$1,000.00

7. **Electronics**

Examples: Televisions and radios; audio, video, stereo, and digital equipment; computers, printers, scanners; music collections; electronic devices including cell phones, cameras, media players, games

☐ No
☒ Yes. Describe

\$750.00

8. **Collectibles of value**

Examples: Antiques and figurines; paintings, prints, or other artwork; books, pictures, or other art objects; stamp, coin, or baseball card collections; other collections, memorabilia, collectibles

☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe

9. **Equipment for sports and hobbies**

Examples: Sports, photographic, exercise, and other hobby equipment; bicycles, pool tables, golf clubs, skis; canoes and kayaks; carpentry tools; musical instruments

☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe

10. **Firearms**

Examples: Pistols, rifles, shotguns, ammunition, and related equipment

☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe

11. **Clothes**

Examples: Everyday clothes, furs, leather coats, designer wear, shoes, accessories

☐ No
☒ Yes. Describe

\$375.00

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12. Jewelry

Examples: Everyday jewelry, costume jewelry, engagement rings, wedding rings, heirloom jewelry, watches, gems, gold, silver

☐ No

☒ Yes. Describe **Costume Jewelry**

\$250.00

13. Non-farm animals

Examples: Dogs, cats, birds, horses

☒ No

☐ Yes. Describe

14. Any other personal and household items you did not already list, including any health aids you did not list

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information.....

15. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 3, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 3. Write the number here..... →

\$2,375.00

Part 4: Describe Your Financial Assets

Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any of the following?

Current value of the portion you own?
Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

16. Cash

Examples: Money you have in your wallet, in your home, in a safe deposit box, and on hand when you file your petition

☒ No

☐ Yes..... Cash:

17. Deposits of money

Examples: Checking, savings, or other financial accounts; certificates of deposit; shares in credit unions, brokerage houses, and other similar institutions. If you have multiple accounts with the same institution, list each.

☐ No

☒ Yes..... Institution name:

17.1. Checking account: **TCF Checking account**

\$400.00

18. Bonds, mutual funds, or publicly traded stocks

Examples: Bond funds, investment accounts with brokerage firms, money market accounts

☒ No

☐ Yes..... Institution or issuer name:

19. Non-publicly traded stock and interests in incorporated and unincorporated businesses, including an interest in an LLC, partnership, and joint venture

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information about them..... Name of entity: % of ownership:

20. Government and corporate bonds and other negotiable and non-negotiable instruments

Negotiable instruments include personal checks, cashiers' checks, promissory notes, and money orders. *Non-negotiable instruments* are those you cannot transfer to someone by signing or delivering them.

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information about them..... Issuer name:

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21. Retirement or pension accounts

Examples: Interests in IRA, ERISA, Keogh, 401(k), 403(b), thrift savings accounts, or other pension or profit-sharing plans

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. List each account separately. Type of account: Institution name:

22. Security deposits and prepayments

Your share of all unused deposits you have made so that you may continue service or use from a company
Examples: Agreements with landlords, prepaid rent, public utilities (electric, gas, water), telecommunications companies, or others

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Institution name or individual:

23. Annuities (A contract for a specific periodic payment of money to you, either for life or for a number of years)

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Issuer name and description:

24. Interests in an education IRA, in an account in a qualified ABLE program, or under a qualified state tuition program.

26 U.S.C. §§ 530(b)(1), 529A(b), and 529(b)(1).

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Institution name and description. Separately file the records of any interests. 11 U.S.C. § 521(c)

25. Trusts, equitable or future interests in property (other than anything listed in line 1), and rights or powers exercisable for your benefit

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information about them _____

26. Patents, copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets, and other intellectual property;

Examples: Internet domain names, websites, proceeds from royalties and licensing agreements

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information about them _____

27. Licenses, franchises, and other general intangibles

Examples: Building permits, exclusive licenses, cooperative association holdings, liquor licenses, professional licenses

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information about them _____

Money or property owed to you?

Current value of the portion you own?
Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

28. Tax refunds owed to you

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information about them, including whether you already filed the returns and the tax years.....

Federal: **\$0.00**
State: **\$0.00**
Local: **\$0.00**

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29. Family support

Examples: Past due or lump sum alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce settlement, property settlement

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information

Alimony: \$0.00

Maintenance: \$0.00

Support: \$0.00

Divorce settlement: \$0.00

Property settlement: \$0.00

30. Other amounts someone owes you

Examples: Unpaid wages, disability insurance payments, disability benefits, sick pay, vacation pay, workers' compensation, Social Security benefits; unpaid loans you made to someone else

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information

31. Interests in insurance policies

Examples: Health, disability, or life insurance; health savings account (HSA); credit, homeowner's, or renter's insurance

☐ No

☒ Yes. Name the insurance company of each policy and list its value.....

Company name:

Beneficiary:

Surrender or refund value:

Whole life insurance

\$500.00

32. Any interest in property that is due you from someone who has died

If you are the beneficiary of a living trust, expect proceeds from a life insurance policy, or are currently entitled to receive property because someone has died

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information

33. Claims against third parties, whether or not you have filed a lawsuit or made a demand for payment

Examples: Accidents, employment disputes, insurance claims, or rights to sue

☒ No

☐ Yes. Describe each claim

34. Other contingent and unliquidated claims of every nature, including counterclaims of the debtor and rights to set off claims

☒ No

☐ Yes. Describe each claim

35. Any financial assets you did not already list

☒ No

☐ Yes. Give specific information

36. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 4, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 4. Write that number here.....

\$900.00

Part 5: Describe Any Business-Related Property You Own or Have an Interest In. List any real estate in Part 1.

37. Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any business-related property?

☒ No. Go to Part 6.

☐ Yes. Go to line 38.

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Current value of the portion you own?
Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

38. Accounts receivable or commissions you already earned

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe _____

39. Office equipment, furnishings, and supplies

Examples: Business-related computers, software, modems, printers, copiers, fax machines, rugs, telephones, desks, chairs, electronic devices

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe _____

40. Machinery, fixtures, equipment, supplies you use in business, and tools of your trade

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe _____

41. Inventory

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe _____

42. Interests in partnerships or joint ventures

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Describe Name of entity: _____ % of ownership: _____

43. Customer lists, mailing lists, or other compilations

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. **Do your lists include personally identifiable information (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(41A))?**
☐ No
☐ Yes. Describe _____

44. Any business-related property you did not already list

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information.

45. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 5, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 5. Write that number here..... →

\$0.00

Part 6: Describe Any Farm- and Commercial Fishing-Related Property You Own or Have an Interest In.
If you own or have an interest in farmland, list it in Part 1.

46. Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any farm- or commercial fishing-related property?

- ☒ No. Go to Part 7.
☐ Yes. Go to line 47.

Current value of the portion you own?
Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

47. Farm animals

Examples: Livestock, poultry, farm-raised fish

- ☒ No
☐ Yes.. _____

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48. Crops--either growing or harvested

☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information..... _____

49. Farm and fishing equipment, implements, machinery, fixtures, and tools of trade

☒ No
☐ Yes.. _____

50. Farm and fishing supplies, chemicals, and feed

☒ No
☐ Yes.. _____

51. Any farm- and commercial fishing-related property you did not already list

☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information..... _____

52. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 6, including any entries for pages you have attached for Part 6. Write that number here..... → **\$0.00**

Part 7: Describe All Property You Own or Have an Interest in That You Did Not List Above

53. Do you have other property of any kind you did not already list?

Examples: Season tickets, country club membership

☒ No
☐ Yes. Give specific information.

54. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 7. Write that number here..... → **\$0.00**

Part 8: List the Totals of Each Part of this Form

55. Part 1: Total real estate, line 2..... → **\$155,000.00**

56. Part 2: Total vehicles, line 5 \$250.00

57. Part 3: Total personal and household items, line 15 \$2,375.00

58. Part 4: Total financial assets, line 36 \$900.00

59. Part 5: Total business-related property, line 45 \$0.00

60. Part 6: Total farm- and fishing-related property, line 52 \$0.00

61. Part 7: Total other property not listed, line 54 + \$0.00

62. Total personal property Add lines 56 through 61..... \$3,525.00 Copy personal property total → + \$3,525.00

63. Total of all property on Schedule A/B Add line 55 + line 62..... **\$158,525.00**

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Ekeshia	L.	Pickens
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
United States Bankruptcy Court for the	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)			

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106C

Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt

04/16

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Using the property you listed on Schedule A/B: Property (Official Form 106A/B) as your source, list the property that you claim as exempt. If space is needed, fill out and attach to this page as many copies of this Schedule C as necessary. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

For each item of property you claim as exempt, you must specify the amount of the exemption you claim. One way of doing so

is to state a specific dollar amount as exempt. Alternatively, you may claim the full fair market value of the property being exempted up to the amount of any applicable statutory limit. Some exemptions--such as those for health aids, rights to receive certain benefits, and tax-exempt retirement funds--may be unlimited in dollar amount. However, if you claim an exemption of 100% of fair market value under a law that limits the exemption to a particular dollar amount and the value of

Part 1: Identify the Property You Claim as Exempt

1. Which set of exemptions are you claiming? Check one only, even if your spouse is filing with you.

- ☒ You are claiming state and federal nonbankruptcy exemptions. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(3)
☐ You are claiming federal exemptions. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(2)

2. For any property you list on Schedule A/B that you claim as exempt, fill in the information below.

Brief description of the property and line on Schedule A/B that lists this property	Current value of the portion you own	Amount of the exemption you claim	Specific laws that allow exemption
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Copy the value from Schedule A/B ☐ Check only one box for

Brief description:
744 S. Shannon Dr, Romeoville, IL

\$155,000.00

☒ \$15,000.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

Line from Schedule A/B: 1.1

Brief description:
2009 Chevrolet Cobalt (approx. 240000)

\$250.00

☒ \$0.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

Line from Schedule A/B: 3.1

3. Are you claiming a homestead exemption of more than \$160,375?

(Subject to adjustment on 4/01/19 and every 3 years after that for cases filed on or after the date of adjustment.)

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Did you acquire the property covered by the exemption within 1,215 days before you filed this case?
☐ No
☐ Yes

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First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Additional Page

Brief description of the property and line on Schedule A/B that lists this property **Current value of the portion you own** **Amount of the exemption you claim** **Specific laws that allow exemption**

Copy the value from Schedule A/B Check only one box for

Brief description:
Necessary and normal household goods

Line from Schedule A/B: 6

\$1,000.00

☒ \$1,000.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)

Brief description:
TV, Computer, etc.

Line from Schedule A/B: 7

\$750.00

☒ \$750.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)

Brief description:
Necessary and normal wearing apparel

Line from Schedule A/B: 11

\$375.00

☒ \$375.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

735 ILCS 5/12-1001(a), (e)

Brief description:
Costume Jewelry

Line from Schedule A/B: 12

\$250.00

☒ \$250.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)

Brief description:
TCF Checking account

Line from Schedule A/B: 17.1

\$400.00

☒ \$0.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

Brief description:
Whole life insurance

Line from Schedule A/B: 31

\$500.00

☒ \$500.00
☐ 100% of fair market value, up to any

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens**
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Debtor 2
(Spouse, if filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name

United States Bankruptcy Court for the **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

Case number (if known) _____

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106D

Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the Additional Page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this

1. Do any creditors have claims secured by your property?

- ☐ No. Check this box and submit this form to the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.
- ☒ Yes. Fill in all of the information below.

Part 1: List All Secured Claims

2. List all secured claims. If a creditor has more than one secured claim, list the creditor separately for each claim. If more than one creditor has a particular claim, list the other creditors in

Column A Amount of claim Do not deduct the value of collateral	Column B Value of collateral that supports this claim	Column C Unsecured portion If any
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2.1
Illinois Housing Development Auth.
Creditor's name
One Corporate Dr, Suite 360
Number Street

Describe the property that secures the claim:
744 S. Shannon Dr,
Romeoville, IL

\$119,076.84

\$155,000.00

Lake Zurich **IL** **60047-8945**
City State ZIP Code

Who owes the debt? Check one.

- ☒ Debtor 1 only
- ☐ Debtor 2 only
- ☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
- ☐ At least one of the debtors and another
- ☐ Check if this claim relates to a community debt

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
- ☐ Unliquidated
- ☐ Disputed

Nature of lien. Check all that apply.

- ☐ An agreement you made (such as mortgage or secured car loan)
- ☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, mechanic's lien)
- ☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit
- ☒ Other (including a right to offset)
- ☐ Mortgage

Date debt was incurred _____ Last 4 digits of account number 2 8 4 4

Add the dollar value of your entries in Column A on this page. Write that number here:

\$119,076.84

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 1:

Additional Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Column A
Amount of claim
 Do not deduct the value of collateral claim

Column B
Value of collateral that supports this claim

Column C
Unsecured portion If any

2.2

Illinois Housing Development Auth.

Creditor's name

One Corporate Dr, Suite 360

Number Street

Describe the property that secures the claim:

744 S. Shannon Dr,
 Romeoville, IL

\$9,025.87

\$9,025.87

Lake Zurich

City

IL

State

60047-8945

ZIP Code

Who owes the debt? Check one.

- ☒ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim relates to a community debt

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Nature of lien. Check all that apply.

- ☐ An agreement you made (such as mortgage or secured car loan)
☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, mechanic's lien)
☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit
☒ Other (including a right to offset)
 Mortgage arrears

Date debt was incurred Various

Last 4 digits of account number 2 8 4 4

2.3

Springleaf Financial Services

Creditor's name

311 N. Weber Rd.

Number Street

Describe the property that secures the claim:

2009 Chevrolet Cobalt
 (approx. 240000 miles)

\$1,600.00

\$250.00

\$1,350.00

Bolingbrook

City

IL

State

60490-1569

ZIP Code

Who owes the debt? Check one.

- ☒ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim relates to a community debt

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Nature of lien. Check all that apply.

- ☐ An agreement you made (such as mortgage or secured car loan)
☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, mechanic's lien)
☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit
☒ Other (including a right to offset)
 Loan

Date debt was incurred

Last 4 digits of account number 0 2 9 2

Add the dollar value of your entries in Column A on this page. Write that number here:

\$10,625.87

If this is the last page of your form, add the dollar value totals from all pages. Write that number here:

\$129,702.71

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens**
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Debtor 2
 (Spouse, if filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name

United States Bankruptcy Court for the **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

Case number (if known) _____

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106E/F

Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. Use Part 1 for creditors with PRIORITY claims and Part 2 for creditors with NONPRIORITY claims. List the other party to any executory contracts or unexpired leases that could result in a claim. Also list executory contracts on *Schedule A/B: Property* (Official Form 106A/B) and *Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases* (Official Form 106G). Do not include any creditors with partially secured claims that are listed on *Schedule D: Creditors Who Hold Claims Secured by Property*. If more space is needed, copy the Part you need, fill it out, number the entries in the boxes on the left. Attach the Continuation Page to this page. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

Part 1: List All of Your PRIORITY Unsecured Claims

1. Do any creditors have priority unsecured claims against you?

- ☐ No. Go to Part 2.
☒ Yes.

2. List all of your priority unsecured claims. If a creditor has more than one priority unsecured claim, list the creditor separately for each claim. For each claim listed, identify what type of claim it is. If a claim has both priority and nonpriority amounts, list that claim here and show both priority and nonpriority amounts. As much as possible, list the claims in alphabetical order according to

(For an explanation of each type of claim, see the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet.)

	Total claim	Priority amount	Nonpriority amount
2.1	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$0.00

Internal Revenue Service

Priority Creditor's Name

PO BOX 7346

Number Street

Last 4 digits of account number _____

When was the debt incurred? **2013-2015**

As of the date you file, the claim is ☐ Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Philadelphia **PA** **19101-7346**
City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☒ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

Type of PRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Domestic support obligations
☒ Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government
☐ Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated
☐ Other. Specify _____

☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 1: Your PRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim	Priority amount	Nonpriority amount
\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$0.00

2.2

Schottler & Associates

Priority Creditor's Name

7222 W. Cermak, Suite 701

Number Street

Last 4 digits of account number _____

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

N. Riverside

City

IL

State

60546

ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Type of PRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Domestic support obligations
☐ Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government
☐ Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated
☒ Other. Specify Attorney fees for this case

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: List All of Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims

3. Do any creditors have nonpriority unsecured claims against you?

- ☐ No. You have nothing to report in this part. Submit this form to the court with you other schedules.
☒ Yes

4. List all of your nonpriority unsecured claims in the alphabetical order of the creditor who holds each claim.

If a creditor has more than one nonpriority unsecured claim, list the creditor separately for each claim. For each claim listed, identify what type of claim it is. Do not list claims already included in Part 1. If more than one creditor holds a particular claim,

Total claim

\$737.44

4.1

Carsons

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

Comenity Bank

Number Street

Bankruptcy Department

PO BOX 182125

Columbus

OH

43218-2125

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number 6 9 6 2

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
 Credit Card

4.2

\$677.57

COMENITY BANK/Romans

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

POB 182782

Number Street

COLUMBUS

OH

43218-2782

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number 4 4 5 2

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
 Credit Card

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim

4.3

\$335.47

Comenity Bank/SimplyBe

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

PO BOX 182620

Number Street

Columbus

OH

43218

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number **8 1 1 8**

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

4.4

\$1,096.19

Fingerhut

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

P.O. Box 1250

Number Street

St. Cloud

MN

56395

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number **3 2 8 1**

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim

4.5

\$3,000.00

Internal Revenue Service

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

PO BOX 7346

Number Street

Philadelphia

PA

19101-7346

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☒ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number _____

When was the debt incurred? 2011

As of the date you file, the claim is Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Taxes

4.6

\$1,138.41

Lane Bryant- Comenity Bank

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

Bankruptcy Department

Number Street

PO Box 182125

Columbus

OH

43218-2125

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number 9 5 2 3

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim

4.7

\$842.13

Marathon Oil Company

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

Comenity Bank

Number Street

PO Box 182782

Columbus

OH

43218

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number **4 9 7 9**

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is _____ Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

4.8

\$97.42

Maurices

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

PO BOX 659705

Number Street

San Antonio

TX

78265-9705

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another
☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number **0 2 3 5**

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is _____ Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim

4.9

\$510.08

New York & Company

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

Comenity Bank

Number Street

Bankruptcy Department

PO Box 182125

Columbus

OH

43218-2125

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number **5 7 0 5**

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is _____ Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

4.10

\$88,500.00

Sallie Mae Servicing

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

PO Box 9500

Number Street

Wilkes Barre

PA

18773-9500

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number **5 3 5 4**

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is _____ Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☒ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☐ Other. Specify

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim

4.11

\$557.17

Verve

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

Cardholder Services

Number Street

PO Box 8099

Newark

DE

19714

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number 6 0 1 3

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

4.12

\$1,023.07

Victoria's Secret

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

Comenity Bank

Number Street

Bankruptcy Department

PO BOX 182789

Columbus

OH

43218-2789

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number 0 3 2 1

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims -- Continuation Page

After listing any entries on this page, number them sequentially from the previous page.

Total claim

4.13

\$159.21

Woman Within

Nonpriority Creditor's Name

WFNNB

Number Street

Bankruptcy Department

PO BOX 182125

Columbus

OH

43218-2125

City State ZIP Code

Who incurred the debt? Check one.

- ☐ Debtor 1 only
☐ Debtor 2 only
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only
☐ At least one of the debtors and another

☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt

Is the claim subject to offset?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Last 4 digits of account number 9 7 0 8

When was the debt incurred? _____

As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply.

- ☐ Contingent
☐ Unliquidated
☐ Disputed

Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:

- ☐ Student loans
☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims
☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts
☒ Other. Specify
Credit Card

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 3: List Others to Be Notified About a Debt That You Already Listed

5. Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy, for a debt that you already listed in Parts 1 or 2.

For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the original creditor in Parts 1 or 2, then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Parts 1 or 2, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional parties to be notified

Portfolio Recovery Associates

Name

Riverside Commerce Center

Number Street

140 Corporate Blvd.

On which entry in Part 1 or Part 2 did you list the original creditor?

Line _____ of (Check one): ☐ Part 1: Creditors with Priority Unsecured Claims

☐ Part 2: Creditors with Nonpriority Unsecured Claims

Norfolk

City

VA

State

23502

ZIP Code

Last 4 digits of account number _____

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 4: Add the Amounts for Each Type of Unsecured Claim

6. Total the amounts of certain types of unsecured claims. This information is for statistical reporting purposes only.
 28 U.S.C. § 159. Add the amounts for each type of unsecured claim.

		Total claim
Total claims from Part 1	6a. Domestic support obligations	6a. <u>\$0.00</u>
	6b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government	6b. <u>\$3,000.00</u>
	6c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated	6c. <u>\$0.00</u>
	6d. Other. Add all other priority unsecured claims. Write that amount here	6d. + <u>\$4,000.00</u>
	6e. Total. Add lines 6a through 6d.	6d. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"><u>\$7,000.00</u></div>

		Total claim
Total claims from Part 2	6f. Student loans	6f. <u>\$88,500.00</u>
	6g. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	6g. <u>\$0.00</u>
	6h. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts	6h. <u>\$0.00</u>
	6i. Other. Add all other nonpriority unsecured claims. Write that amount here	6i. + <u>\$10,174.16</u>
	6j. Total. Add lines 6f through 6i.	6j. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"><u>\$98,674.16</u></div>

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Ekeshia <small>First Name</small>	L. <small>Middle Name</small>	Pickens <small>Last Name</small>
Debtor 2			
(Spouse, if filing)	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
United States Bankruptcy Court for the NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS			
Case number (if known)	_____		

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106G

Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying

correct information. If more space is needed, copy the additional page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this

- 1. Do you have any executory contracts or unexpired leases?**

☒ No. Check this box and file this form with the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.

Yes. Fill in all of the information below even if the contracts or leases are listed on Schedule D: Property (Official Form 106A/B).

2. List separately each person or company with whom you have the contract or lease. Then state what each contract or lease is for (for example, rent, vehicle lease, cell phone). See the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet for more examples of executory contracts and unexpired leases.

Person or company with whom you have the contract or lease State what the contract or lease is for

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Ekeshia	L.	Pickens
	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)			
	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
United States Bankruptcy Court for the	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)			

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106H

Schedule H: Your Codebtors

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Codebtors are people or entities who are also liable for any debts you may have. Be as complete and accurate as possible.

If

two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the Additional Page, fill it out, and number the entries in the boxes on the left. Attach the Additional Page to

1. **Do you have any codebtors?** (If you are filing a joint case, do not list either spouse as a codebtor.)
☒ No
☐ Yes
2. **Within the last 8 years, have you lived in a community property state or territory?** (Community property states and territories include Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Puerto Rico, Texas, Washington, and Wisconsin.)
☒ No. Go to line 3.
☐ Yes. Did your spouse, former spouse, or legal equivalent live with you at the time?
☐ No
☐ Yes
3. **In Column 1, list all of your codebtors. Do not include your spouse as a codebtor if your spouse is filing with you. List the person shown in line 2 again as a codebtor only if that person is a guarantor or cosigner. Make sure you have listed the creditor on Schedule D (Official Form 106D), Schedule E/F (Official Form 106E/F), Schedule G (Official Form 106G). Use Schedule D, Schedule E/F, or Schedule G to fill out Column 2.**

Column 1: **Your codebtor**

Column 2: **The creditor to whom you owe the debt**

Check all schedules that apply:

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Ekeshia	L.	Pickens
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
United States Bankruptcy Court for the NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS			
Case number (if known)			

Check if this is:

- ☐ An amended filing
- ☐ A supplement showing postpetition chapter 13 income as of the following date:

MM / DD / YYYY

Official Form 106I

Schedule I: Your Income

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together (Debtor 1 and Debtor 2), both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If you are married and not filing jointly, and your spouse is living with you, include information about your spouse. If you are separated and your spouse is not filing with you, do not include information about your spouse. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write

Part 1: Describe Employment

1. Fill in your employment information.

If you have more than one job, attach a separate page with information about additional employers.

Include part-time, seasonal, or self-employed work.

	Debtor 1	Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
Employment status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Employed <input type="checkbox"/> Not employed	<input type="checkbox"/> Employed <input type="checkbox"/> Not employed
Occupation	Teacher	
Employer's name	Blue Island CAP School	
Employer's address	2155 Broadway	
	Number Street	Number Street
	Blue Island	
	IL	
	60406	
	City State Zip Code	City State Zip Code

How long employed there? **6 months**

Part 2: Give Details About Monthly Income

Estimate monthly income as of the date you file this form. If you have nothing to report for any line, write \$0 in the space. Include your non-filing spouse unless you are separated.

If you or your non-filing spouse have more than one employer, combine the information for all employers for that person on the lines below. If

	For Debtor 1	For Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
2. List monthly gross wages, salary, and commissions (include all payroll deductions). If not paid monthly, calculate what the monthly wage would be.	\$2,666.67	
3. Estimate and list monthly overtime pay.	+ \$0.00	
4. Calculate gross income Add line 2 + line 3.	\$2,666.67	

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
 First Name Middle Name Last Name

	For Debtor 1	For Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
Copy line 4 here → 4.	\$2,666.67	
5. List all payroll deductions:		
5a. Tax, Medicare, and Social Security deductions	5a. \$251.23	
5b. Mandatory contributions for retirement plans	5b. \$0.00	
5c. Voluntary contributions for retirement plans	5c. \$0.00	
5d. Required repayments of retirement fund loans	5d. \$0.00	
5e. Insurance	5e. \$50.48	
5f. Domestic support obligations	5f. \$0.00	
5g. Union dues	5g. \$0.00	
5h. Other deductions. Specify: _____	5h. \$0.00	
6. Add the payroll deductions. Add lines 5a + 5b + 5c + 5d + 5e + 5f + 5g + 5h.	\$301.71	
7. Calculate total monthly take-home pay. Subtract line 6 from line 4.	\$2,364.96	
8. List all other income regularly received:		
8a. Net income from rental property and from operating a Attach a statement for each property and business showing gross receipts, ordinary and necessary business	8a. \$0.00	
8b. Interest and dividends	8b. \$0.00	
8c. Family support payments that you, a non-filing spouse, or a Include alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance,	8c. \$0.00	
8d. Unemployment compensation	8d. \$0.00	
8e. Social Security	8e. \$0.00	
8f. Other government assistance that you regularly receive Include cash assistance and the value (if known) or any non- cash assistance that you receive, such as food stamps (benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Specify: _____	8f. \$0.00	
8g. Pension or retirement income	8g. \$0.00	
8h. Other monthly income. Specify: Part Time Employment	8h. \$1,250.00	
9. Add all other income. Add lines 8a + 8b + 8c + 8d + 8e + 8f + 8g + 8h.	\$1,250.00	
10. Calculate monthly income. Add line 7 + line 9. Add the entries in line 10 for Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse.	\$3,614.96	\$3,614.96
11. State all other regular contributions to the expenses that you list in Schedule J. Include contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your dependents, your roommates, and other friends or relatives. Specify: _____		
	\$0.00	
12. Add the amount in the last column of line 10 to the amount in line 11. The result is the combined monthly income. Write that amount on the Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information, if it applies.	\$3,614.96	\$3,614.96
Combined monthly income		
13. Do you expect an increase or decrease within the year after you file this form?		
<input type="checkbox"/> No. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;"> Part time employment listed in Schedule J began June 2016. </div>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes. Explain: <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%; margin-top: 5px;"></div>		

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 Ekeshia L. Pickens
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Debtor 2
(Spouse, if filing) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

United States Bankruptcy Court for the NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

Case number _____
(if known)

Check if this is:

- ☐ An amended filing
- ☐ A supplement showing postpetition chapter 13 expenses as of the following date:

MM / DD / YYYY

Official Form 106J

Schedule J: Your Expenses

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach another sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write

Part 1: Describe Your Household

1. Is this a joint case?

- ☒ No. Go to line 2.
- ☐ Yes. **Does Debtor 2 live in a separate household?**
- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes. Debtor 2 must file Official Form 106J-2, Expenses for Separate Household of Debtor 2.

2. Do you have dependents?

Do not list Debtor 1 and Debtor 2.

Do not state the dependents' names.

- ☐ No
- ☒ Yes. Fill out this information for each dependent.....

Dependent's relationship to Debtor 1 or Debtor 2	Dependent's age	Does dependent live with you?
<u>Child</u>	<u>16 yrs.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes

3. Do your expenses include expenses of people other than yourself and your dependents?

- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes

Part 2: Estimate Your Ongoing Monthly Expenses

Estimate your expenses as of your bankruptcy filing date unless you are using this form as a supplement in a Chapter 13 case to report expenses as of a date after the bankruptcy is filed. If this is a supplemental Schedule J, check the box at the top of the form and fill in the applicable date.

Include expenses paid for with non-cash government assistance if you know the value of such assistance and have included it on Schedule I: Your Income (Official Form 106I.)

Your expenses

4. The rental or home ownership expenses for your residence.
Include first mortgage payments and any rent for the ground or lot.
If not included in line 4:

4. \$1,051.90

- 4a. Real estate taxes
- 4b. Property, homeowner's, or renter's insurance
- 4c. Home maintenance, repair, and upkeep expenses
- 4d. Homeowner's association or condominium dues

4a. _____

4b. _____

4c. _____

4d. \$30.00

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Your expenses

- 5. Additional mortgage payments for your residence**, as home equity loans 5. _____
- 6. Utilities:**
- 6a. Electricity, heat, natural gas 6a. **\$300.00**
- 6b. Water, sewer, garbage collection 6b. **\$50.00**
- 6c. Telephone, cell phone, Internet, satellite, and cable services 6c. **\$175.00**
- 6d. Other. Specify: **Mobile Phone** 6d. **\$114.00**
- 7. Food and housekeeping supplies** 7. **\$600.00**
- 8. Childcare and children's education costs** 8. _____
- 9. Clothing, laundry, and dry cleaning** 9. **\$100.00**
- 10. Personal care products and services** 10. **\$100.00**
- 11. Medical and dental expenses** 11. **\$150.00**
- 12. Transportation** Include gas, maintenance, bus or train fare. Do not include car payments. 12. **\$300.00**
- 13. Entertainment, clubs, recreation, newspapers, magazines, and books** 13. _____
- 14. Charitable contributions and religious donations** 14. _____
- 15. Insurance.**
Do not include insurance deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 20.
- 15a. Life insurance 15a. _____
- 15b. Health insurance 15b. _____
- 15c. Vehicle insurance 15c. **\$60.00**
- 15d. Other insurance. Specify: _____ 15d. _____
- 16. Taxes.** Do not include taxes deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 or 20.
Specify: _____ 16. _____
- 17. Installment or lease payments:**
- 17a. Car payments for Vehicle 1 17a. _____
- 17b. Car payments for Vehicle 2 17b. _____
- 17c. Other. Specify: **Student Loans** 17c. **\$280.00**
- 17d. Other. Specify: _____ 17d. _____
- 18. Your payments of alimony, maintenance, and support that you did not report as deducted from your pay on line 5, Schedule I, Your Income (Official Form 106I).** 18. _____
- 19. Other payments you make to support others who do not live with you.**
Specify: _____ 19. _____

Debtor 1 Ekeshia L. Pickens Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

20. Other real property expenses not included in lines 4 or 5 of this form or on Schedule I: Your Income.

20a. Mortgages on other property	20a. _____
20b. Real estate taxes	20b. _____
20c. Property, homeowner's, or renter's insurance	20c. _____
20d. Maintenance, repair, and upkeep expenses	20d. _____
20e. Homeowner's association or condominium dues	20e. _____

21. Other. Specify: _____ 21. + _____

22. Calculate your monthly expenses.

22a. Add lines 4 through 21.	22a. <u>\$3,310.90</u>
22b. Copy line 22 (monthly expenses for Debtor 2), if any, from Official Form 106J-2.	22b. _____
22c. Add line 22a and 22b. The result is your monthly expenses.	22c. <u>\$3,310.90</u>

23. Calculate your monthly net income.

23a. Copy line 12 (your combined monthly income) from Schedule I.	23a. <u>\$3,614.96</u>
23b. Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c above.	23b. - <u>\$3,310.90</u>
23c. Subtract your monthly expenses from your monthly income. The result is your monthly net income.	23c. <u>\$304.06</u>

24. Do you expect an increase or decrease in your expenses within the year after you file this form?

For example, do you expect to finish paying for your car loan within the year or do you expect your mortgage

☒ No.

☐ Yes.

Explain here:
None.

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens**
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Debtor 2
 (Spouse, if filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name

United States Bankruptcy Court for the **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

Case number (if known) _____

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106Sum

Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information

12/15

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Fill out all of your schedules first; then complete the information on this form. If you are filing amended

Part 1: Summarize Your Assets

Your assets
 Value of what you own

1. *Schedule A/B: Property* (Official Form 106A/B)
- 1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B..... **\$155,000.00**
- 1b. Copy line 62, Total personal property, from Schedule A/B..... **\$3,525.00**
- 1c. Copy line 63, Total of all property on Schedule A/B..... **\$158,525.00**

Part 2: Summarize Your Liabilities

Your liabilities
 Amount you owe

2. *Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property* (Official Form 106D)
- 2a. Copy the total you listed in Column A, Amount of claim, at the bottom of the last page of Part 1 of Schedule D..... **\$129,702.71**
3. *Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims* (Official Form 106E/F)
- 3a. Copy the total claims from Part 1 (priority unsecured claims) from line 6e of Schedule E/F..... **\$7,000.00**
- 3b. Copy the total claims from Part 2 (nonpriority unsecured claims) from line 6j of Schedule E/F..... **+** **\$98,674.16**
- Your total liabilities** **\$235,376.87**

Part 3: Summarize Your Income and Expenses

4. *Schedule I: Your Income* (Official Form 106I)
- Copy your combined monthly income from line 12 of Schedule I..... **\$3,614.96**
5. *Schedule J: Your Expenses* (Official Form 106J)
- Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c of Schedule J..... **\$3,310.90**

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 4: Answer These Questions for Administrative and Statistical Records

6. Are you filing for bankruptcy under Chapters 7, 11, or 13?

- ☐ No. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with your other schedules.
☒ Yes

7. What kind of debt do you have?

- ☒ **Your debts are primarily consumer debts.** Consumer debts are those "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose." 11 U.S.C. § 101(8). Fill out lines 8-9g for statistical purposes. 28 U.S.C. § 159.
☐ **Your debts are not primarily consumer debts.** You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with your other schedules.

8. From the Statement of Your Current Monthly Income Copy your total current monthly income from Official Form 122A-1 Line 10 **OR**, Form 122B Line 1 **OR**, Form 122C-1 Line 14.

\$2,670.77

9. Copy the following special categories of claims from Part 4, line 8, to Schedule E/F:

	Total claim
From Part 4 or Schedule E/F, copy the following:	
9a. Domestic support obligations. (Copy line 6a.)	<u>\$0.00</u>
9b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government. (Copy line 6b.)	<u>\$3,000.00</u>
9c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated. (Copy line 6c.)	<u>\$0.00</u>
9d. Student loans. (Copy line 6f.)	<u>\$88,500.00</u>
9e. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims. (Copy line 6g.)	<u>\$0.00</u>
9f. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts. (Copy line 6h.) +	<u>\$0.00</u>
9g. Total. Add lines 9a through 9f.	<u>\$91,500.00</u>

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	<u>Ekeshia</u>	<u>L.</u>	<u>Pickens</u>
	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)	_____	_____	_____
	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
United States Bankruptcy Court for the	<u>NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS</u>		
Case number (if known)	_____		

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106Dec

Declaration About an Individual Debtor's Schedules

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If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information.

You must file this form whenever you file bankruptcy schedules or amended schedules. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

Sign Below

Did you pay or agree to pay someone who is NOT an attorney to help you fill out bankruptcy forms?

☒ No

☐ Yes. Name of person _____ Attach Bankruptcy Petition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, and Signature (Official Form 119).

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that I have read the summary and schedules filed with this declaration and that they are

X /s/ Ekeshia L. Pickens
Ekeshia L. Pickens, Debtor 1

Date 06/14/2016
MM / DD / YYYY

X _____
Signature of Debtor 2

Date _____
MM / DD / YYYY

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Ekeshia	L.	Pickens
	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
<hr/>			
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)			
	<small>First Name</small>	<small>Middle Name</small>	<small>Last Name</small>
<hr/>			
United States Bankruptcy Court for the NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS			
<hr/>			
Case number (if known)	<hr/>		

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 107

Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages,

Part 1: Give Details About Your Marital Status and Where You Lived Before

1. What is your current marital status?

- ☐ Married
☒ Not married

2. During the last 3 years, have you lived anywhere other than where you live now?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. List all of the places you lived in the last 3 years. Do not include where you live now.

3. Within the last 8 years, did you ever live with a spouse or legal equivalent in a community property state or territory?
(Community property states and territories include Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Puerto Rico, Texas, Washington, and Wisconsin.)

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Make sure you fill out Schedule H: Your Codebtor(s) (Official Form 106H).

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 2: Explain the Sources of Your Income

4. Did you have any income from employment or from operating a business during this year or the two previous calendar years?

Fill in the total amount of income you received from all jobs and all businesses, including part-time activities.

If you are filing a joint case and you have income that you receive together, list it only once under Debtor 1.

- ☐ No
☒ Yes. Fill in the details.

	Debtor 1	Debtor 2
	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Sources of income Check all that apply.
	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)
From January 1 of the current year until	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wages, commissions, <input type="checkbox"/> Operating a business	<input type="checkbox"/> Wages, commissions, <input type="checkbox"/> Operating a business
	\$9,846.16	
For the last calendar year: (January 1 to December 31 <u>2015</u>) <small>YYYY</small>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wages, commissions, <input type="checkbox"/> Operating a business	<input type="checkbox"/> Wages, commissions, <input type="checkbox"/> Operating a business
	\$88,457.00	
For the calendar year before that: (January 1 to December 31 <u>2014</u>) <small>YYYY</small>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wages, commissions, <input type="checkbox"/> Operating a business	<input type="checkbox"/> Wages, commissions, <input type="checkbox"/> Operating a business
	\$79,210.00	

5. Did you receive any other income during this year or the two previous calendar years?

Include income regardless of whether that income is taxable. Examples of other income are alimony; child support; Social Security; unemployment; and other public benefit payments; pensions; rental income; interest; dividends; money collected from lawsuits; royalties; and gambling and lottery winnings. If you are in a joint case and you have income that you received together, list it only once under

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 3: List Certain Payments You Made Before You Filed for Bankruptcy

6. Are either Debtor 1's or Debtor 2's debts primarily consumer debts?

- ☐ No. **Neither Debtor 1 nor Debtor 2 has primarily consumer debts.** Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

During the 90 days before you filed for bankruptcy, did you pay any creditor a total of \$6,425* or more?

- ☐ No. Go to line 7.
- ☐ Yes. List below each creditor to whom you paid a total of \$6,425* or more in one or more payments and the total amount you paid that creditor. Do not include payments for domestic support

* Subject to adjustment on 4/01/19 and every 3 years after that for cases filed on or after the date of adjustment.

- ☒ Yes. **Debtor 1 or Debtor 2 or both have primarily consumer debts.**

During the 90 days before you filed for bankruptcy, did you pay any creditor a total of \$600 or more?

- ☒ No. Go to line 7.
- ☐ Yes. List below each creditor to whom you paid a total of \$600 or more and the total amount you paid that creditor. Do not include payments for domestic support obligations, such as child support

7. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you make a payment on a debt you owed anyone who was an insider?
Insiders include your relatives; any general partners; relatives of any general partners; partnerships of which you are a general partner; corporations of which you are an officer, director, person in control, or owner of 20% or more of their voting securities; and any managing agent, including one for a business you operate as a sole proprietor. 11 U.S.C. § 101. Include payments for domestic

- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes. List all payments to an insider.

8. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you make any payments or transfer any property on account of a debt that benefited an insider?

Include payments on debts guaranteed or cosigned by an insider.

- ☒ No
- ☐ Yes. List all payments that benefited an insider.

Part 4: Identify Legal Actions, Repossessions, and Foreclosures

9. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, were you a party in any lawsuit, court action, or administrative proceeding?

List all such matters, including personal injury cases, small claims actions, divorces, collection suits, paternity actions, support or custody

- ☐ No
- ☒ Yes. Fill in the details.

Case title
IHDA v. Pickens

Nature of the case
Foreclosure

Court or agency
Will County Circuit Court

Status of the case

Court Name

☒ Pending

Number Street

☐ On appeal

☐ Concluded

Case number 16 CH 001042

City

State

ZIP Code

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

10. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, was any of your property repossessed, foreclosed, garnished, attached, seized, or levied?

Check all that apply and fill in the details below.

- ☒ No. Go to line 11.
☐ Yes. Fill in the information below.

11. Within 90 days before you filed for bankruptcy, did any creditor, including a bank or financial institution, set off any amounts from your accounts or refuse to make a payment because you owed a debt?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

12. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, was any of your property in the possession of an assignee for the benefit of

- ☒ No
☐ Yes

Part 5: List Certain Gifts and Contributions

13. Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you give any gifts with a total value of more than \$600 per person?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details for each gift.

14. Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you give any gifts or contributions with a total value of more than \$600

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details for each gift or contribution.

Part 6: List Certain Losses

15. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy or since you filed for bankruptcy, did you lose anything because of theft, fire,

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Part 7: List Certain Payments or Transfers

16. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you or anyone else acting on your behalf pay or transfer any property to

Include any attorneys, bankruptcy petition preparers, or credit counseling agencies for services required for your bankruptcy.

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

17. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you or anyone else acting on your behalf pay or transfer any property to

Do not include any payment or transfer that you listed on line 16.

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

18. Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you sell, trade, or otherwise transfer any property to anyone, other than

Include both outright transfers and transfers made as security (such as granting of a security interest or mortgage on your property).

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

19. Within 10 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you transfer any property to a self-settled trust or similar device of which you are a beneficiary? (These are often called asset-protection devices.)

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Part 8: List Certain Financial Accounts, Instruments, Safe Deposit Boxes, and Storage Units

20. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, were any financial accounts or instruments held in your name, or for your benefit, closed, sold, moved, or transferred?

Include checking, savings, money market, or other financial accounts; certificates of deposit; shares in banks, credit unions, brokerage

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

21. Do you now have, or did you have within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, any safe deposit box or other depository for securities, cash, or other valuables?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

22. Have you stored property in a storage unit or place other than your home within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy?

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Part 9: Identify Property You Hold or Control for Someone Else

23. Do you hold or control any property that someone else owns? Include any property you borrowed from, are storing for, or hold in trust for someone.

- ☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 10: Give Details About Environmental Information

For the purpose of Part 10, the following definitions apply:

- **Environmental law** means any federal, state, or local statute or regulation concerning pollution, contamination, releases of hazardous or toxic substance, wastes, or material into the air, land, soil, surface water, groundwater, or other medium, including statutes or regulations controlling the cleanup of these substances, wastes, or material.
- **Site** means any location, facility, or property as defined under any environmental law, whether you now own, operate, or utilize it or used to own, operate, or utilize it, including disposal sites.
- **Hazardous material** means anything an environmental law defines as a hazardous waste, hazardous substance, toxic substance, hazardous material, pollutant, contaminant, or similar item.

Report all notices, releases, and proceedings that you know about, regardless of when they occurred.

24. Has any governmental unit notified you that you may be liable or potentially liable under or in violation of an environmental

☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

25. Have you notified any governmental unit of any release of hazardous material?

☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

26. Have you been a party in any judicial or administrative proceeding under any environmental law? Include settlements and

☒ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.

Part 11: Give Details About Your Business or Connections to Any Business

27. Within 4 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you own a business or have any of the following connections to any business?

- ☐ A sole proprietor or self-employed in a trade, profession, or other activity, either full-time or part-time
- ☐ A member of a limited liability company (LLC) or limited liability partnership (LLP)
- ☐ A partner in a partnership
- ☐ An officer, director, or managing executive of a corporation
- ☐ An owner of at least 5% of the voting or equity securities of a corporation

☒ No. None of the above applies. Go to Part 12.
☐ Yes. Check all that apply above and fill in the details below for each business.

28. Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you give a financial statement to anyone about your business? Include

☐ No
☐ Yes. Fill in the details below.

Debtor 1 Ekeshia L. Pickens Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 12: Sign Below

I have read the answers on this ~~Statement of Financial Affairs~~ and any attachments, and I declare under penalty of perjury that answers are true and correct. I understand that making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years,

X /s/ Ekeshia L. Pickens X _____
Ekeshia L. Pickens, Debtor 1 Signature of Debtor 2
Date 06/14/2016 Date _____

Did you attach additional pages to your ~~Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy~~ (Official Form 107)?

☒ No
☐ Yes

Did you pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help you fill out bankruptcy forms?

☒ No
☐ Yes. Name of person _____ Attach the *Bankruptcy Petition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, and Signature* (Official Form 119).

Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)

This notice is for you if:

- **You are an individual filing for bankruptcy,**
and
- **Your debts are primarily consumer debts.**
Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

The types of bankruptcy that are available to individuals

Individuals who meet the qualifications may file under one of four different chapters of the Bankruptcy Code:

- Chapter 7 -- Liquidation
- Chapter 11 -- Reorganization
- Chapter 12 -- Voluntary repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen
- Chapter 13 -- Voluntary repayment plan for individuals with regular income

You should have an attorney review your decision to file for bankruptcy and the choice of chapter.

Chapter 7: Liquidation

	\$245	filing fee
	\$75	administrative fee
	\$15	trustee surcharge
+		
	\$335	total fee

Chapter 7 is for individuals who have financial difficulty preventing them from paying their debts and who are willing to allow their non-exempt property to be used to pay their creditors. The primary purpose of filing under chapter 7 is to have your debts discharged. The bankruptcy discharge relieves you after bankruptcy from having to pay many of your pre-bankruptcy debts. Exceptions exist for particular debts, and liens on property may still be enforced after discharge. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

However, if the court finds that you have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge.

You should know that the even if you file chapter 7 and you receive a discharge, some debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible to pay:

- most taxes;
- most student loans;
- domestic support and property settlement obligations;

- most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; and
- certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers.

You may also be required to pay debts arising from:

- fraud or theft;
- fraud or defalcation while acting in breach of fiduciary capacity;
- intentional injuries that you inflicted; and
- death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.

If your debts are primarily consumer debts, the court can dismiss your chapter 7 case if it finds that you have enough income to repay creditors a certain amount. You must file *Chapter 7 Statement of Your Current Monthly Income* (Official Form 122A-1) if you are an individual filing for bankruptcy under chapter 7. This form will determine your current monthly income and compare whether your income is more than the median income that applies in your state.

If your income is not above the median for your state, you will not have to complete the other chapter 7 form, the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A-2).

If your income is above the median for your state, you must file a second form--the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A-2). The calculations on the form--sometimes called the *Means Test*--deduct from your income living expenses and payments on certain debts to determine any amount available to pay unsecured creditors. If your income is more than the median income

for your state of residence and family size, depending on the results of the *Means Test*, the U.S. trustee, bankruptcy administrator, or creditors can file a motion to dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. If a motion is filed, the court will decide if your case should be dismissed. To avoid dismissal, you may choose to proceed under another chapter of the Bankruptcy Code.

If you are an individual filing for chapter 7 bankruptcy, the trustee may sell your property to pay your debts, subject to your right to exempt the property or a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the property. The property, and the proceeds from property that your bankruptcy trustee sells or liquidates that you are entitled to, is called *exempt property*. Exemptions may enable you to keep your home, a car, clothing, and household items or to receive some of the proceeds if the property is sold.

Exemptions are not automatic. To exempt property, you must list it on *Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt* (Official Form 106C). If you do not list the property, the trustee may sell it and pay all of the proceeds to your creditors.

Chapter 11: Reorganization

	\$1,167	filing fee
	\$550	administrative fee
+		
	\$1,717	total fee

Chapter 11 is often used for reorganizing a business, but is also available to individuals. The provisions of chapter 11 are too complicated to summarize briefly.

Read These Important Warnings

Because bankruptcy can have serious long-term financial and legal consequences, including loss of your property, you should hire an attorney and carefully consider all of your options before you file. Only an attorney can give you legal advice about what can happen as a result of filing for bankruptcy and what your options are. If you do file for bankruptcy, an attorney can help you fill out the forms properly and protect you, your family, your home, and your possessions.

Although the law allows you to represent yourself in bankruptcy court, you should understand that many people find it difficult to represent themselves successfully. The rules are technical, and a mistake or inaction may harm you. If you file without an attorney, you are still responsible for knowing and following all of the legal requirements.

You should not file for bankruptcy if you are not eligible to file or if you do not intend to file the necessary documents.

Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime; you could be fined and imprisoned if you commit fraud in your bankruptcy case. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

Chapter 12: Repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

	\$200	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$275	total fee

Similar to chapter 13, chapter 12 permits family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time using future earnings and to discharge some debts that are not paid.

Chapter 13: Repayment plan for individuals with regular income

	\$235	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$310	total fee

Chapter 13 is for individuals who have regular income and would like to pay all or part of their debts in installments over a period of time and to discharge some debts that are not paid. You are eligible for chapter 13 only if your debts are not more than certain dollar amounts set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 109.

Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, usually using your future earnings. If the court approves your plan, the court will allow you to repay your debts, as adjusted by the plan, within 3 years or 5 years, depending on your income and other factors.

After you make all the payments under your plan, many of your debts are discharged. The debts that are not discharged and that you may still be responsible to pay include:

- domestic support obligations,
- most student loans,
- certain taxes,
- debts for fraud or theft,
- debts for fraud or defalcation while acting in a fiduciary capacity,
- most criminal fines and restitution obligations,
- certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers,
- certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury, and
- certain long-term secured debts.

Warning: File Your Forms on Time

Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information about your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. The court may dismiss your bankruptcy case if you do not file this information within the deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and local rules of the court.

For more information about the documents and their deadlines, go to:

http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy_forms.html#procedure.

Bankruptcy crimes have serious consequences

- If you knowingly and fraudulently conceal assets or make a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury--either orally or in writing--in connection with a bankruptcy case, you may be fined, imprisoned, or both.
- All information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the U.S. Trustee, the Office of the U.S. Attorney, and other offices and employees of the U.S. Department of Justice.

Make sure the court has your mailing address

The bankruptcy court sends notices to the mailing address you list on *Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* (Official Form 101). To ensure you receive information about your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address.

A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together--called a *joint case*. If you file a joint case and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, the bankruptcy court generally will mail you and your spouse one copy of each notice, unless you file a statement with the court asking that each spouse receive separate copies.

Understand which services you could receive from credit counseling agencies

The law generally requires that you receive a credit counseling briefing from an approved credit counseling agency. 11 U.S.C. § 109(h). If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must receive the briefing. With limited exceptions, you must receive it within the 180 **days before** you file your bankruptcy petition. This briefing is usually conducted by telephone or on the Internet.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, you generally must complete a financial management instructional course before you can receive a discharge. If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must complete the course.

You can obtain the list of agencies approved to provide both the briefing and the instructional course from:

http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc_approved.html.

In Alabama and North Carolina, go to:

<http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCreditAndDebtCounselors.aspx>.

If you do not have access to a computer, the clerk of the bankruptcy court may be able to help you obtain the list.

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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
CHICAGO DIVISION (EASTERN)**

In re **Ekeshia L. Pickens**

Case No. _____

Chapter **13**

DISCLOSURE OF COMPENSATION OF ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR

1. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 2016(b), I certify that I am the attorney for the above named debtor(s) and that compensation paid to me within one year before the filing of the petition in bankruptcy, or agreed to be paid to me, for services rendered or to be rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of or in connection with the bankruptcy case is as follows:

For legal services, I have agreed to accept.....	\$4,000.00
Prior to the filing of this statement I have received.....	\$0.00
Balance Due.....	\$4,000.00

2. The source of the compensation paid to me was:

☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify)

3. The source of compensation to be paid to me is:

☒ Debtor ☐ Other (specify)

4. ☒ I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with any other person unless they are members and associates of my law firm.

☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation with another person or persons who are not members or associates of my law firm. A copy of the agreement, together with a list of the names of the people sharing in the compensation, is attached.

5. In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to render legal service for all aspects of the bankruptcy case, including:

- a. Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rendering advice to the debtor in determining whether to file a petition in bankruptcy;
- b. Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, statements of affairs and plan which may be required;
- c. Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors and confirmation hearing, and any adjourned hearings thereof;

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6. By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee does not include the following services:

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any agreement or arrangement for payment to me for representation of the debtor(s) in this bankruptcy proceeding.

06/14/2016

Date

/s/ Mark R. Schottler

Mark R. Schottler
Schottler & Associates
7222 W. Cermak
Suite 701
North Riverside, IL 60546

Bar No. 6238871

/s/ Ekeshia L. Pickens

Ekeshia L. Pickens

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
CHICAGO DIVISION (EASTERN)**

IN RE: **Ekeshia L. Pickens**

CASE NO

CHAPTER **13**

VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX

The above named Debtor hereby verifies that the attached list of creditors is true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge.

Date 6/14/2016

Signature **/s/ Ekeshia L. Pickens**
Ekeshia L. Pickens

Date _____

Signature _____

Carsons
Comenity Bank
Bankruptcy Department
PO BOX 182125

COMENITY BANK/Romans
POB 182782
COLUMBUS, OH 43218-2782

Comenity Bank/SimplyBe
PO BOX 182620
Columbus, OH 43218

Fingerhut
P.O. Box 1250
St. Cloud, MN 56395

Illinois Housing Development Auth.
One Corporate Dr, Suite 360
Lake Zurich, IL 60047-8945

Internal Revenue Service
PO BOX 7346
Philadelphia, PA 19101-7346

Lane Bryant- Comenity Bank
Bankruptcy Department
PO Box 182125
Columbus, OH 43218-2125

Marathon Oil Company
Comenity Bank
PO Box 182782
Columbus, OH 43218

Maurices
PO BOX 659705
San Antonio, TX 78265-9705

New York & Company
Comenity Bank
Bankruptcy Department
PO Box 182125

Portfolio Recovery Associates
Riverside Commerce Center
140 Corporate Blvd.
Norfolk, VA 23502

Sallie Mae Servicing
PO Box 9500
Wilkes Barre, PA 18773-9500

Schottler & Associates
7222 W. Cermak, Suite 701
N. Riverside, IL 60546

Springleaf Financial Services
311 N. Weber Rd.
Bolingbrook, IL 60490-1569

Verve
Cardholder Services
PO Box 8099
Newark, DE 19714

Victoria's Secret
Comenity Bank
Bankruptcy Department
PO BOX 182789

Woman Within
WFNNB
Bankruptcy Department
PO BOX 182125

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens**
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Debtor 2
 (Spouse, if filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name

United States Bankruptcy Court for **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

Case number
 (if known) _____

Check as directed in lines 17 and 21:

According to the calculations required by this

- ☒ 1. Disposable income is not determined under 11 U.S.C. § 1325(b)(3).
- ☐ 2. Disposable income is determined under 11 U.S.C. § 1325(b)(3).
- ☒ 3. The commitment period is 3 years.
- ☐ 4. The commitment period is 5 years.

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 122C-1

Chapter 13 Statement of Your Current Monthly Income and Calculation of Commitment Period

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for being accurate. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. Include the line number to which the additional information applies. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

Part 1: Calculate Your Average Monthly Income

1. **What is your marital and filing status?** Check one only.

- ☒ **Not married.** Fill out Column A, lines 2-11.
- ☐ **Married.** Fill out both Columns A and B, lines 2-11.

Fill in the average monthly income that you received from all sources, derived during the 6 full months before you file this bankruptcy case. 11 U.S.C. § 101(10A). For example, if you are filing on September 15, the 6-month period would be March 1 through August 31. If the amount of your monthly income varied during the 6 months, add the income for all 6 months and divide the total by 6. Fill in the result. Do not include any income amount more than once. For example, if both spouses own the same rental

	Column A Debtor 1	Column B Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
2. Your gross wages, salary, tips, bonuses, overtime, and commissions (before all payroll deductions).	\$2,670.77	
3. Alimony and maintenance payments. Do not include payments from a spouse.	\$0.00	
4. All amounts from any source which are regularly paid for household expenses of you or your dependents, including child support. regular contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your dependents, parents, and roommates. Do not include	\$0.00	
5. Net income from operating a business, profession, or farm		
	Debtor 1	Debtor 2
Gross receipts (before all deductions)	\$0.00	
Ordinary and necessary operating expenses	\$0.00	—
Net monthly income from a business, profession, or farm	\$0.00	
	Copy here →	\$0.00

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens**
 First Name Middle Name Last Name

Case number (if known) _____

Column A
Debtor 1

Column B
Debtor 2 or
non-filing spouse

6. Net income from rental and other real property

	Debtor 1	Debtor 2
Gross receipts (before all deductions)	<u>\$0.00</u>	_____
Ordinary and necessary operating expenses	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>-</u> _____
Net monthly income from rental or other real property	<u>\$0.00</u>	_____

Copy here → \$0.00

7. Interest, dividends, and royalties

\$0.00

8. Unemployment compensation

\$0.00

Do not enter the amount if you contend that the amount received was a benefit under the Social Security Act. Instead, list it here:↓

For you..... \$0.00

For your spouse..... _____

9. Pension or retirement income Do not include any amount received that was a benefit under the Social Security Act.

\$0.00

10. Income from all other sources not listed above Specify the source and amount. Do not include any benefits received under the Social Security Act or payments received as a victim of a war crime, a crime against humanity,

Total amounts from separate pages, if any.

+ _____ + _____

11. Calculate your total average monthly income.

Add lines 2 through 10 for each column.

Then add the total for Column A to the total for Column B.

\$2,670.77 + = \$2,670.77

Total average monthly income

Part 2: Determine How to Measure Your Deductions from Income

12. Copy your total average monthly income from line 11...... \$2,670.77

13. Calculate the marital adjustment Check one:

- ☒ You are not married. Fill in 0 below.
☐ You are married and your spouse is filing with you. Fill in 0 below.
☐ You are married and your spouse is not filing with you.
 Fill in the amount of the income listed in line 11, Column B, that was NOT regularly paid for the household expenses of you or your dependents, such as payment of the spouse's tax liability or the spouse's support of someone other than you or your dependents.
 Below, specify the basis for excluding this income and the amount of income devoted to each purpose.
 If

Total..... \$0.00 Copy here → \$0.00

14. Your current monthly income Subtract the total in line 13 from line 12.

\$2,670.77

Debtor 1 **Ekeshia** **L.** **Pickens** Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

15. Calculate your current monthly income for the year. Follow these steps:

15a. Copy line 14 here → **\$2,670.77**
 Multiply line 15a by 12 (the number of months in a year). **X 12**
\$32,049.24

15b. The result is your current monthly income for the year for this part of the form.

16. Calculate the median family income that applies to you. Follow these steps:

16a. Fill in the state in which you live. Illinois
 16b. Fill in the number of people in your household. 2
 16c. Fill in the median family income for your state and size of household..... **\$63,896.00**
 To find a list of applicable median income amounts, go online using the link specified in the separate

17. How do the lines compare?

- 17a. ☒ Line 15b is less than or equal to line 16c. On the top of page 1 of this form, check **Disposable income is not determined under 11 U.S.C. § 1325(b)(3)**. **Go to Part 3** Do NOT fill out Calculation of Your Disposable Income (Official Form 122C-2).
- 17b. ☐ Line 15b is more than line 16c. On the top of page 1 of this form, check **Disposable income is determined under 11 U.S.C. § 1325(b)(3)**. **Go to Part 3 and fill out Calculation of Your Disposable Income (Official Form 122C-2)**. On line 39 of that form, copy your current monthly income from line 14 above.

Part 3: Calculate Your Commitment Period Under 11 U.S.C. § 1325(b)(4)

18. Copy your total average monthly income from line 11...... **\$2,670.77**

19. Deduct the marital adjustment if it applies. If you are married, your spouse is not filing with you, and you contend that calculating the commitment period under 11 U.S.C. § 1325(b)(4) allows you to deduct part of your spouse's

19a. If the marital adjustment does not apply, fill in 0 on line 19a. **— \$0.00**
 19b. **Subtract line 19a from line 18.** **\$2,670.77**

20. Calculate your current monthly income for the year. Follow these steps:

20a. Copy line 19b..... **\$2,670.77**
 Multiply by 12 (the number of months in a year). **X 12**
\$32,049.24
 20b. The result is your current monthly income for the year for this part of the form.
\$32,049.24
 20c. Copy the median family income for your state and size of household from line 16c..... **\$63,896.00**

21. How do the lines compare?

- ☒ Line 20b is less than line 20c. Unless otherwise ordered by the court, on the top of page 1 of this form, check box 3, **The commitment period is 3 years**. **Go to Part 4.**
- ☐ Line 20b is more than or equal to line 20c. Unless otherwise ordered by the court, on the top of page 1 of this form, check box 4, **The commitment period is 5 years**. **Go to Part 4.**

Debtor 1 Ekeshia L. Pickens Case number (if known) _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

Part 4: Sign Below

By signing here, under penalty of perjury I declare that the information on this statement and in any attachments is true and correct.

X /s/ Ekeshia L. Pickens
Ekeshia L. Pickens, Debtor 1

X _____
Signature of Debtor 2

Date 6/14/2016
MM / DD / YYYY

Date _____
MM / DD / YYYY

If you checked 17a, do NOT fill out or file Form 122C-2.

If you checked 17b, fill out Form 122C-2 and file it with this form. On line 39 of that form, copy your current monthly income from line 14 above.